

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Applicant:

Joseph GIL et al

Serial No.: 09/887,566

Filed: June 25, 2001

For: Data Filtering Apparatus and Method

Examiner: Patel B. Kanjibhai

Commissioner for Patents  
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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Sir:

(1) This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed June 7, 2004, for a period of three months.

(2) Applicant is a:  
  X   small entity

       other than small entity

(3) Extension	Fee for small entity <u>small entity</u>	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>
<u>      </u> one month	\$ 55	\$ 110
<u>      </u> two months	\$ 215	\$ 430
<u>  X  </u> three months	\$ 490	\$ 980
<u>      </u> four months	\$ 765	\$ 1530
<u>      </u> five months	\$ 1040	\$ 2080

(4) An amendment   X   is filed herewith  
       has been filed

(5) Authorization to charge the above extension fee of **\$490** to the Credit Card number listed on the attached Credit Card Payment Form **PTO-2038** is attached herewith. In the event additional fees are required, please charge these additional fees to Deposit Account 50-1407. In the unlikely event payment by the Credit Card issuer is refused, please charge the extension fee of **\$490** to Deposit Account 50-1407.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Date: December 5, 2004